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## THE COURTS.

**Small Docket in Police Court  
This Morning.**

**Justice Little Holds Court Next  
Week—County Court First  
Monday in September.**

Bob Davis, of color, was this morning charged in the police court with whipping his wife, and the case against him was continued.

The case against Ed and John Baker, charged with having a political difficulty with Stanz Potter, was dismissed, the prosecuting witness saying that he did not remember anything about the trouble.

John L. Barter and Wm. Nash, for having more liquor than the law allows, were taxed \$1 and costs each.

Justice Little will hold court Monday next, and there are seventy-five suits on his docket. Justice Little has moved three times since his last court, and still the suits pile in.

County court begins at the court house first Monday in September, which is not far off, and circuit court begins across the hall at the same time. There are big dockets in both courts. The repairs on the court house are about finished, and people who have not seen the building will be agreeably surprised at the improvements.

## ANOTHER CITIZEN DEAD.

**Mr. F. A. Robinson, a Long Resident of the City, Passes Away.**

Mr. F. A. Robinson, aged 81, died yesterday at noon at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Annie M. Barnes on West Jefferson street, of general debility.

Mr. Robinson was one of the oldest residents of the city, having been born in Franklin, Pa., in 1818, removing to this city in 1855.

He leaves beside an aged wife one daughter, Mrs. Barnes, and a son, Mr. The Robinson, of Colorado, and a number of grandchildren. Mr. Robinson for years lived at the corner of Tenth and Third streets and was a grocer, but for many years had done nothing but in fair health.

The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. H. B. Johnson, of the Broadway Methodist church, at the residence at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The interment will be at Oak Grove. The friends of the family are invited.

## THE STREET FAIR.

**All Interested Should Attend the Meeting Tomorrow Night.**

The meeting tomorrow night at the city hall to take steps to further the street fair project should be remembered by all who are interested in the fair. It requires quick action to get up anything like a respectable and paying fair, and all the business men of Paducah are urged to attend the meeting and assist the promoters to make it a go. Paducah had no fair of any description last year, and if the people expect to keep pace with other cities of this size, they must "get a move on."

## WILL SINK WELLS.

**Manager Chesterfield Begins the Work at Once**

Mayor Lang and Health Officer Milam went out to the canvas factory yesterday afternoon and conferred with Mr. Chesterfield, the manager, in regard to the tomato juice that flows out into the adjacent hollows and decays. Mr. Chesterfield agreed to begin today the work of sinking enough wells to accommodate the juice, which will abate the nuisance.

## AUDITOR WEST'S VACATION

Auditor C. B. West, of the Illinois Central, has gone to Chicago for a two weeks visit to his former home there.

Mr. D. E. Woods, formerly auditor on this division, is here to act in Mr. West's stead during the latter's absence.

FOR RENT—Nice cottage adjoining Yeller's drug store. Apply to D. A. Yeller.

## DREYFUS' TRIAL

**There Was Evidence Today Pro and Con as to the Prisoner.**

## KOSTNER'S STRONG GROUNDS

**Of Innocence of Prisoner Was Repeated on the Stand Without Being Shaken.**

## LABORI AGAIN IN THE CASE

**RENNES, France, August 22.**—Major Grenier was the first witness this morning before the Dreyfus court martial. His testimony was favorable to Dreyfus. He said Esterhazy was a man of very bad character. When Grenier finished Labori testified the court he wished later to recall General Mercier. Major Rollin, of the intelligence bureau, next took the stand. Labori demanded to know if the witness was responsible for the Schneider forgery. The witness was silent. Labori put the same question to Mercier, who replied: "I have no right to answer." "You have no right to hide the truth behind the pretext of secrecy," explained Labori fiercely, "and I insist on an answer." Mercier again replied: "I have no right to answer." Labori said: "We'll let this stand then, that you refuse to answer. I expect similar refusals during the trial."

Labori drove to the court in a carriage, and entered the hall at 6:30 o'clock. The audience greeted him by standing up and by a general clapping of hands. Labori walked quite briskly, but holding his left arm close to his side in order not to disturb his wound. He met General Mercier and General Billot in the middle of the court room, chatted and smiled. Labori was given a cushioned arm chair. Madame Labori, looking well, was also in court. Dreyfus, on entering smilingly shook hands with M. Labori.

Colonel Jouanet addressed a few words of congratulation to M. Labori, and expressed the profound indignation of the tribunal at the attempt to assassinate the counsel. Labori was much moved, and thanked Colonel Jouanet in an eloquent speech.

Labori's reply to Col. Jouanet's speech fatigued him. He sat down flushed and holding his side. He afterward nervously twitched his fingers and an expression of suffering flitted over his face.

Mme. Rejane, the celebrated actress, was present at the trial. She came especially to see the trial and Labori's return into the case. She applauded his entrance vigorously.

A point was made by Dreyfus in reply to Major Rollin. The latter had remarked that all the prisoner's papers seized when his rooms were searched in 1894 Jouanet had said certain papers from the text book "School of War" were found missing. The prisoner retorted, "Not in 1894, my colonel." This caused a sensation as the obvious interpretation was that the papers were torn out at the war office and that they had fact was used against him as insinuation that he had communicated the missing papers to foreign agents.

Perrett, the porter in the war office, next testified to seeing Dreyfus trying over other officers work during their absence. The prisoner replied excitedly that Perrett's statements were concoctions by the former military war also caused a sensation. Then the prisoner stated, in a cooler manner, the difficulties in the way of a civilian, as Perrett stated, entering quarters of the officers of the general staff.

General Goussier thereupon presented two letters to the effect that the writers, both civilians, had obtained easy admittance to these offices.

Dreyfus retorted that the regulations were very strict to this respect and therefore some person had been guilty of gross breach of discipline. Demande scored by adding that if entry into these offices was so easy why could not anybody procure the information Dreyfus is alleged to have obtained surreptitiously.

The deposition of Scheurer-Kostner, the former vice president of the senate, was read. It was an outline of the origin and progress of the Dreyfus movement and ended with an eloquent plea for justice. Scheurer-Kostner was the first man of political prominence to assert the innocence of Dreyfus. In 1897 he said the proofs he had obtained of Esterhazy's guilt before General Billot, but that officer refused to act. Scheurer-Kostner then communicated his interview with Billot to Temps.

The next day Matthew Dreyfus publicly accused Esterhazy of being the author of the bordereau and Dreyfus affair was on.

Lieutenant Colonel Bertin Mourou then took the stand and testified impressively against the conduct of Dreyfus toward the general staff. He denied ever admitting that Dreyfus was innocent.

When court adjourned today Dreyfus, with a beaming face, despite his fatigue, rushed over to Labori and shook his hand, murmuring thanks for the lawyer's brilliant work in his defense today. As Labori issued from the court he was greeted with enthusiastic demonstration by the crowd in the street.

## WIRELETS.

**LEHORN, Italy, Aug. 22.**—Admiral Dewey on his flagship Olympia has sailed from this port to Nice, France, where he expects to remain a week. His health is again very fair.

**LOUISVILLE, August 22.**—Governor John Young Brown, the anti-Gebel candidate for governor, will open his campaign at 1 o'clock next Saturday afternoon at Bowling Green.

**MANILA, P. I., August 22.**—The United States transport Tattler, from San Francisco, July 24, with General Joseph Wheeler and his daughter, troops of the Nineteenth Infantry and more than \$1,300,000 in coin, has arrived.

**SANTIAGO, Cuba, August 22.**—Major Russell Harrison held his own today. His case is still critical, but the physician's prognosis are more favorable.

**HOTEL CHAMPLAIN, N. Y., Aug. 22.**—Secretary Root arrived today for a conference with President McKinley on matters connected with the Philippine campaign.

**NEW YORK, Aug. 22.**—It is now estimated that 2,500 victims of the recent hurricane have been buried in Porto Rico; that 1,000 persons were injured and that 2,000 are still missing.

**DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 22.**—The Fourteenth Annual National Encampment of Union Veterans opened today with an attendance of 5,000. In connection with the encampment there is also being held the annual gathering of the Woman's Veteran Relief association.

**DEPUTY MARSHAL LA RUE** suavely called him and walking down to where the young man was, placed his hand on his shoulder and informed him that he was under arrest. He then read a government warrant to him, in which he is charged with the offense of robbing the post office at Calvert City last February, in which a quantity of stamps and money belonging to the government were taken.

Powell was overwhelmed with surprise and chagrin at the unexpected turn affairs had taken. His friends had been at work in Benton for some time to execute the bond and secure his release. He was returned to jail and re-committed there by order of the government.

His relatives, J. C. Daniels and Doc Powell, of Altoona, Marshall county, were here and offered to go on his bond on the government charge, but as U. S. Commissioner Puryear is the only one who can endorse a bond on the warrant, and he is at present out of the city and cannot accept one, the young man has to remain in jail. The above named are the ones who executed the \$1,000 bond at Benton yesterday.

Young Powell was brought here Friday week for safe keeping, to gether with Walter Freeman. They were in jail at Benton and it was reported that their friends would make an effort to get them out and assist them in making their escape. They were brought here in pursuance of an order from the Marshall county court, and had been in jail here ever since.

Powell, who has temporary freedom today, is charged with three felonies and has just served a misdemeanor sentence for carrying a pistol, as well.

The people in the neighborhood of Calvert City are very bitter toward him.

He is charged with stealing wheat, with breaking into the store of a man named Goodloe at Calvert City previous to the post-office robbery and with robbing the store of Mr. Tichenor, in which Postmaster Halstead has his office, as well as with bringing stolen plows and other implements into the state from Hannaburg, Ill. He is alleged to have gone to a store there and taken a number of plows and such things off the porch of a country store and loaded them into a skiff. They were painted to look like new, but the theft was discovered, and it was not long until the stolen plows were located, and the young man arrested.

His bond will be fixed as soon as Commissioner Puryear returns home. His pal, Freeman, is said to have conspired, and County Physician Pendley has recommended his discharge as humane.

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—Mayor Lang received the startling intelligence this morning that there was a dead man down in an alley in the business part of town. He sent Lockup Keeper Menifee down and the officer found Dave Reed with a larger load than he could carry, but Dave was soon sober and going in an opposite direction at a lively gait.

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## SHORT LIVED.

**The Freedom of Horace Powell Did Not Last Long.**

## HE GAVE BOND AT BENTON

**Rearrested by Deputy U. S. Marshal La Rue for Postoffice Robbery.**

## PUT BACK IN JAIL AT ONCE

Surprises are seldom as disagreeable as the one which awaited Horace Powell this morning when he walked from the county jail a free man. He had yesterday executed bond in Benton in the sum of \$1,000 on three felony charges, to answer at the next term of the Marshall county court, this morning Jailer Miller received from Benton the order for his release.

In accordance with an agreement he had with U. S. Deputy Marshal La Rue, the latter was notified and went straightway to the jail. Powell was released, and gathering to gether his clothing, he thanked Jailer Miller and his deputies for their kindness to him during his confinement, and started down the walk towards the gate.

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## USED A BAT.

**Negro Cracks Another in the Head With a Baseball Stick.**

A negro youth known as "Red," who is with a crowd of gypsies camped near La Belle park is wanted on a warrant issued by Justice Little on a charge of assaulting James Smith, colored, with a bat. They were playing baseball yesterday when the one called "Red" demanded that Smith throw him the ball, which the latter refused to do. "Red" then struck him in the head with the bat, rendering him unconscious, and badly injuring him.

At last accounts the culprit had not been arrested.

## MORE EXCITEMENT.

**Fultonians Seeking Whom They May Devour.**

Matthew McFall, a negro boy, a few years old, attempted to ravish Lillian, the four-year-old girl of Luke Cappa, a prominent citizen of Fulton, causing great excitement.

At the time of the deed the family were away from home. When the father and mother returned the enraged father grabbed a pistol and would have killed McFall, but the mother took it away. The father took a walking cane and broke it to pieces over him. The negro escaped, and the citizens are scouring the country for him. If caught another lynching will follow, according to the reports sent out.

## THE CENSUS

**Will Require Much Pushing to Get the Requisite Number.**

**Two of the Enumerators Have Not Yet Completed Their Work**

—The Outlook.

Four of the census enumerators are through with their work of taking the census, and the other two, Messrs. S. H. Clark, in the First Ward, and F. G. Rudolph, in the Second, will have finished in a few days.

Thus far, the result is in round numbers: Sixth ward, 4900; Fifth ward, 2800; Fourth ward, 2400; Third ward, 2000. It is thought that the Second ward will climb to about 2500 and the First to 4400. This will barely bring the census up to 20,000, and any not do it after the figures are in, although Zorn, the directory man, swore to more than this two years ago.

The enumerators have had a good thing, having some of them made as much as \$9 a day while at work. While the census comes up to expectations, the council will never be satisfied with it. The work was done too quick to be complete many think, yet others say it is as full as it can justly be made. Nevertheless Zorn's sworn statement and the returns of the assessors are against the showing. There are according to the last assessor over 6,000 polls in the city. While this may be a "rounded" showing still reduced a fourth and it according to the government rate of reckoning would give the city, over 20,000 people.

## SMITHLAND COUPLE

**To Be Married Tomorrow—Well Known Young People.**

County Clerk Graham this morning issued a marriage license to Mr. Gilbert Presnell, a well known young school teacher of Smithland, Ky., and Miss Fannie Cowper, of the same place. The marriage is to take place tomorrow sometime.

## AT THE PARK.

A large and enthusiastic crowd greeted the opening performance of "An Artistic Liar" at the park last night. Owing to the nonarrival of the new leading man, the part of "Judge Hustle" was hurriedly studied by W. C. Malone. All things considered, the character was well acted. Mr. Dan Castello, as "McGuffin," the constable, made a most favorable impression. His natural ease was unmistakable evidence of his long familiarity with the stage. Just such a man the company has lacked up to this time. The play itself is a laughable farce.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Little Miss Anna Duley Woodliff entertained a score or more of her young friends last evening at her home, Eighth and Clay streets, in celebration of her sixth birthday. There were refreshments of ices and cakes, and Miss Anna was the recipient of many beautiful presents.

## SOMEWHAT COOLER.

Yesterday the thermometer went up to 95 degrees in the shade, but last night a cool wave struck town and the lowest point reached was 69 degrees, against 76, the lowest of the day before. Hence it was seven degrees cooler this morning than yesterday.

## PARK DANCE.

There will be another dance at the park tonight. The music will be furnished by Frank Jones' band. Six reserved seat tickets will be given to the best lady waiter. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Dr. Edwards, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, Paducah.

## WAS 35 YEARS.

**Prof. J. T. Ross and wife returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit to a son in St. Louis. They came home by boat and had the pleasure of passing as a newly married couple all the way around, the prank of the clerk of the steamer, a friend. When they came to leave the boat there the large list of passengers with whom they had become acquainted gathered to give them a hearty goodbye, but the professor, who had caught on to the prank, told them it was only a continuation of a 35-year honeymoon he and his wife were enjoying, and left with the laugh on the others.**

## TO CHICAGO.

Two hundred and thirty-one tickets were today sold to Chicago to excursionists who left on the noon special train.

The crowd was large and many prominent people went. There was plenty of room, and the sections, each being carried down to the boat separately, provided ample comforts for the pleasure seekers. They will get into Chicago about midnight.

—G. W. Jerrys this morning filed suit in the circuit court against J. M. Dalton to foreclose a mortgage on some property. It was the only suit filed up to press time.

—Highest wages paid for core makers at the works of the St. Louis Car Wheel Co., St. Louis, Mo. 1w

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## Hotter Weather Tomorrow

**But Cooler at the Great**

**Noah's Ark Sale Wednesday**

The famous Noah's Ark store, now growing so popular for its high-grade line of goods, low prices, and kind and courteous treatment, will show its appreciation to its many customers Wednesday by offering to them seasonable goods at prices that they never heard of before. Just think—

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Fruit jar rubbers, dozen only... 3c  
Nice large sauce pans—others ask 15c, only... 10c  
Large 8 inch glass bowls, each... 4c  
Glass fruit saucers, set only... 4c  
Syrup stands—just think... 5c

Blown glass tumblers, set... 12c  
Fire-proof lamp chimneys, all sizes 5c  
Pint cups—think of this—4 for... 5c  
Egg beater, only... 1c  
Wood spoons... 3c  
Pie pans as low as... 1c  
Lamps, complete... 10c  
Coffee mills only... 10c  
Dinner plates, large size, per set only... 19c

These are only a few of the many bargains you can get at Noah's Ark tomorrow; we have everything in tin, glass and chinaware at greatly reduced prices. This is a genuine sale of goods at prices you never heard before, and you can rely on getting goods as advertised!

Meet at the GREAT NOAH'S ARK tomorrow!



**LADIES SHOES**  
\$3.50 oxfords, \$2.24.  
2 80 oxfords, 1.98.  
75c baby slipper, 49c.  
25c shoe polish, 3c.  
15c shoe polish, 5c.

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98c buys a genuine turn oxford in black or tan, former price \$1.50.  
50c for a misses' black or tan strap slipper, bow and buckle, were \$1.00.  
\$1.48 a pair for choice of seventy-two pairs of genuine hand-turn oxfords, black or tan. These are regular \$3.00 goods.  
75c for choice of eighty-four pairs regular \$2.00 oxfords, strap slippers, heel or spring heel. These goods are on the cheap table.

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**50 PER CENT ONE-HALF OFF ON**  
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**Straw Hats.**  
We will sell Straw Hats at Half Price the balance of the season. Throw that old hat away. A new one cost so little now.

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Our \$5 and \$6 Crash Suits cut to \$3.50. Odds and ends of \$4 and \$5 Crash suits go at \$2.50. \$1.50 Crash Suits for 98c. Pants in proportion.

**Coats and Vests**  
Why sweater in hot clothes; Cool ones are almost given away by us now.

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The Reduction of the season  
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Manhattan Shirts reduced to \$1.10. All our Negligee shirts go for 78 cents.

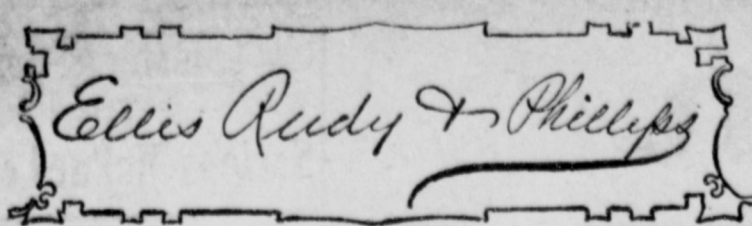
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We have placed on sale all the new fall designs and colors in our best quality velvet, Axminster and Ingrain carpets. If you are thinking of moving, or need a new carpet to refresh your home, it will pay you to buy these goods now. We will sell the best velvet carpets for 95c a yard, all-wool ingrain for 40c, 50c and 65c a yard, and show you the most complete lines offered.

Our linoleum that we sell for 35c square yard is an extra quality for this price, and comes in all the new colors.  
Linen window shades, all colors, 6 feet long for 30 cents; we make window shades any width or length you want.  
New line of lace curtains and draperies we offer special good values in wide lace curtains 3 1/2 yards long for \$1.39 and 1.50 pair.

### New Plaid Goods for Skirts

Thirty-six inch pretty bright-colored plaids, camel's hair effects, for 25 cents a yard. We are showing our new plaids in handsome 52-inch camel's hair materials for early fall skirts.

### A Ready-Made Skirt Bargain

A strictly all-wool nun's cloth black skirt, nicely made and trimmed, for \$2.95 each. The materials alone would cost you more than this.

### Summer Goods

We are closing out a line of navy blue ground lawns and organdies—goods worth from 15c to 25c—for 10c per yard.  
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### For 50 Cents Each

A line of mon's ties, four-in-hands, tees and puffs, in all the latest colors. You usually pay from 75c to \$1.00 for these; our price 50c.  
Choice of any colored shirt waist in our house for 50c; goods worth from \$1.25 to 75c. On sale on the center counter.

### New Ribbons for Neck and Belts

All the desirable colors in taffeta and satin ribbons. Taffetas: No. 22 for 15c; No. 40 for 20c; No. 80 for 25c.

## 'Tis Our Loss--- Your Gain.

If you are needing shoes for self or children now is the time to get them.

\$1.48 buys ladies' elegant tan low shoes, were \$2.00.  
1.90 buys ladies' elegant tan low shoes, were \$2.50.  
1.19 buys ladies' elegant tan low 2-button shoe, were \$1.50.  
1.19 buys any tan low oxford left that were \$1.50.  
98 buys remainder of our 1,001 25 tan oxfords.  
68 buys child's black or tan, strap or oxford.  
75 buys misses' black or tan, strap or southern tie.

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JOHN BURKE,  
Of Campbell County.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1899.

Amongst those who didn't know him best, the blunt frankness and childlike sincerity of Joe Blackburn was once proverbial; but amongst those knowing him best, it was always taken cum grano salis, and late events have fully justified the latter. The hypocritical curse pronounced over the bier of the late Major Sam Ford "whom he loved as a brother" is now shifted from the slayer to the slain. Joe is great on exclamations, and on epigrams, but as to frank friendship and blunt honesty, he is subject to a large and fatal discount.

Joe Blackburn's leather lungs are the superior to those of the old-fashioned bellows of the country back-smith, but the mean and gawd speech of him is getting decidedly old and weather-worn.

Wonder if Goebel would want the South Carolina "code of honor" incorporated in the rules of the house of representatives or is he sufficiently unto himself in that regard and would the splicing of the Blackburn system be necessary?

Appeals to God are frequent and confident by the Goebel stumpers, but it seems impossible that the gentlemen indulging in them should have read that the prophet said "the prayer of the wicked availeth not."

The Democrat who votes for the Goebel ticket has a stomach for political fifth not to be envied, but to be wondered at by all.

The plot thickens in Kentucky. Twenty seven hitherto straight Democratic papers are fighting the regular nominee for governor and seventeen do not believe that he can be elected. This seems almost incredible after Bryan had endorsed the Goebel ticket and had announced that he would make speeches for it this fall.

Newspaper readers these days will notice that some of the crowned heads are doing a great deal toward the preservation of the world's peace. The principal reason, of course, for the tendency among monarchs to work in favor of peace is the growing influence of the people over public affairs. Even in absolutist Russia public opinion is now a force to be reckoned with. The desire of the people of every nation for the maintenance of peace and monarchs in these days are compelled to defer to the popular will in all their undertakings. It is no longer possible for a crown wearer to consult his own prejudices and ambitions solely, as was done by Louis XIV., Henry VIII., Frederick the Great and Bonaparte. The people, who fight the battles as well as pay for them, have a strong incentive to avert wars, and their wishes are coming to have a more and more decisive influence as the years pass. No monarch, not even the czar of absolutist Russia, is the state in this day in the sense that the older Bourbon Tudor or Habsburg empires were. These peaceful tendencies pervade the great patricians to a degree never shown in the world's history. William II. in holding out the olive branch to France and Nicholas II. in throwing open the ports of his new territory on the same terms to all the world as to Russia, mere voice the spirit of equality and fraternity which the rising tide of equality sends surging round the world.

Abuse is not argument nor does it make votes. The Goebels are losing ground daily by their inability to argue their position without resorting to bulldozing tactics. They are hors du combat for lack of argument.

Some good Democrat should secure copies of the Elizabethtown News and the Carrollton News and send them to Judge Redwine. Both these papers are supporting Goebel, but they want Redwine taken off the stump and sent home. And this will be done though the Democrats like to look on wine when it is red, as the joke puts it. Go in Redwine, are you asked to go.

If the Democratic party commit the folly of putting Bryan up again the Republican lead would perhaps be greater than it would be if some less reckless and less reactionary candidate was selected. Victory, however, is certain in any case, for in no preceding canvass since the War of secession has the minority party been so hopeless of victory on the eve of a presidential election as the Democracy is at this moment.

If Judge Redwine said the complimentary things of the Western part of the state credited to him it is safe to say he took away a better impression than he left behind. But then whatever the Judge says of Western Kentucky must be taken with many degrees of allowance, for he says he found a united Democracy in this end of the state and yet he never met one twelfth of the people nor visited the same portion of the district. The Judge's hat must be badly torn if he takes that way through it wherever he goes.

Is it true that the Goebels are refusing to divide time with the Brownites? If so then they must know that their cause is a weak one. Yesterday Messrs. C. K. Wheeler and James Garrett spoke at Edwille, in behalf of Goebel, to a few hundred, and though Mr. Mat Adams, a Brownite, was present and wanted them to divide time with him, they refused to do so. Yesterday at Glasgow Goebels Peak and Thorne also refused to divide time with Mr. Hal Corbett, of this city, who was on hand more than willing to talk for Brown and true Democracy. Apparently the Brownites have the Goebels on the dead run.

Mr. Olie James, whether the managers wanted him to do so or not, has broken loose in the canvass. Last week he went to Salem, in Livingston county, and made "the grandest political speech" ever heard at that place, in spite of the fact that old Salem has heard many of the great talkers of the state in those days when there was no talk on the stump in all contests. However, the public would like to know if Mr. James is to talk again and where he is to be heard, for he has friends who don't want to see him crowded out of the next congressional contest, as it appears to be the case. By the by, Mr. Wheeler too has been able to make a speech in the district, whether by appointment of the managers or otherwise, and his friends too are feeling better over the fact.

The Benton Tribune says there are only six anti Goebels in Marshall county. Reliable gentlemen from Benton say there are 42 Democrats in the Benton precinct and one who will not vote for Goebel. Here are two statements and you can take your choice. The Sun is satisfied with its information.

France will suffer more from the conviction of Dreyfus than will that persecuted victim of French army dishonor. The people of France won't soon live down any further injustice to the delinquent and disgraced Dreyfus.

Mr. Bryan has cause to fear Kentucky more now than ever before. Marcell Henry, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, says he proposes to line up for the Nebraskan in the next presidential contest.

**ANTI GOEBEL PAPERS.**  
Louisville Evening Post: Summary of Kentucky Democratic papers that refuse to accept the action of the Louisville convention as binding on the party.  
Colonel L. E. Casey, veteran editor of the Covington Commonwealth.  
Clairo T. Sutton, Owensboro Inquirer, a reputable and widely quoted Democratic daily.  
John A. Lyne, editor Henderson Journal, the oldest and best Democratic daily paper in Henderson, which never failed before to support a Democratic paper.  
Dasha Breckinridge, Lexington Daily Herald, only Democratic daily in Seventh district.  
Lewis Patterson, Georgetown Daily World.  
Prof. J. J. Glenn, Guthrie Graphic, and who has also purchased the Advertiser Mail, is a well known Democratic leader of the Second district.  
Lewis Landrum, Lancaster Record, one of the oldest and most reputable Democratic papers in Central Kentucky.  
John D. Babbage, Cloverport News, a conservative, widely read and ably edited Democratic journal.  
Charles Stewart, Leitchfield Gazette.  
Jefferson Street, Hawesville Pain-dealer.  
James Short, Pineville Courier.  
Editor Stuthton, Sandy Herald.  
C. E. McCormick, Shepherdsville Pioneer.  
E. L. Davison, Springfield News-Leader.  
W. B. Hudson, Barboursville Pathfinder.  
Raymond Paschall, Fulton Guard.  
S. W. Linebaugh, Russellville News.  
Editor Reach, Kentucky Recorder.  
Editor Strange, Columbia Spectator.  
J. C. Nelson, Bath County World.  
Editor Estill, Owensville Outlook.  
Editor Mosgrove, Sturgis News-Journal.  
The Cumberland Advocate.  
Editor Spotwood, Harrodsburg Democrat.  
Editor Wilhelm, Paducah Register, only Democratic morning paper in the First congressional district.  
Editor Ben F. Briggs, Mayfield Monitor.

To this list must be added the Paducah News, the oldest and widest read paper in the Gibraltar district and the Louisville Dispatch, founded and owned by the Kentucky Democracy, and the Louisville Evening Post, with old Democratic ex editors without number.

**Honor That Is Dishonor.**  
Cincinnati Commercial Tribune: A significant development of the Dreyfus trial was that made by the widow of Colonel Henry. Mme. Henry testified that her husband admitted to her the forgery by himself of certain documents used to convict Dreyfus. His justification was that

it was necessary "to save the honor of France."

Something of the same spirit was evident in Justice Querin's relation, as a most matter-of-course story, how it had been cold bloodedly decided to make Dreyfus the victim of this military scandal and how much care had been taken to suppress some of the facts lest their publication should involve France in trouble with other powers.

It is difficult to appreciate the quality of honor that may be saved to a country by suppressions of truth, expression of lies and a wholesale resort to forgery and fraud and of force in the persecution of a victim selected for the sacrifice, with absolute disregard for his innocence.

If that is the military idea of honor in France, the army is already disgraced and degraded in holding it. If it is France's idea of honor, then, united, is France lost to all decency and without the pale of consideration or respect by other nations.

### DISTINCTION NO DIFFERENCE

Nicholas County Courier: Hon. Jas. Andrew Scott made the statement in his speech Monday that if a company should come to Carlisle and secure a franchise for an electric light plant, waterworks system, telephone system or anything else, by force and fraud, the people of this town would not be obliged to submit to such an outrage. James Andrew was talking about trusts, but a good many of his audience applied his remarks to the Louisville convention.

### STEALING NOT ALLOWED.

Nicholas County Courier: Joe Blackburn says, that if there is any stealing of elections this year in Kentucky it will not be done by the Republicans. That is a truth which is applicable to every year for the last quarter of a century. He might have added that the Republicans and Democrats will see that there will be no stealing of elections by the Goebels.

### THE LATEST.

South Carolina farmers have raised 20,000,000 pounds of tobacco this season and largely increased their profits. The movement to plant less cotton in that state is making practical headway.

Havana has had but 36 cases of yellow fever this year, 12 of which proved fatal. The record is the best in the history of the city.

On December 14 next occurs the 100th anniversary of the death of George Washington. The New York Sons of the Revolution have started a movement for a national observance of the day. Among the city societies that have promised to cooperate are the Colonial Dames, Daughters of the Revolution, the Aztec Society, the Society of the War of 1812 and the Society of Colonial Wars.

New York is to have a very instructive exhibition in December. There will be on exhibition models of famous houses as they are and as they might be under proper philanthropic impulses.

In raising and repairing three of the Spanish ships sunk by Dewey in Manila bay Hobson has done a great piece of work. The Isla de Cuba, the Isla de Luzon and the Don Juan de Asturias are now valuable warships and a powerful addition to the navy of the United States. Hobson spent \$300,000 in the work of raising and repairing them, and a conservative estimate of their present value is \$600,000.

Ex-Congressman Casey Young, who represented the Tenth Tennessee district in the house of representatives three terms, in 1875, 1878 and 1882, died in Memphis last week from a complication of diseases. Colonel Young was a strong silver Democrat.

In a head-on collision between two trolley cars, a few miles north of Philadelphia, thirty people were hurt, three of whom probably will die.

The Transvaal government, it is said, has at last transmitted its reply to the propositions made by Great Britain.

Major Russell B. Harrison, inspector general, is critically ill of yellow fever at Santiago, Cuba.

The British colonial office denies the report that an ultimatum has been sent to the Boers.

General Merlier, leader of the army set which is pushing the prosecution of Captain Dreyfus, says that foreign peoples have been misled by their press as to the correctness of the Dreyfus situation, "for the very good reason that a majority of the foreign newspapers have been bribed by the Jewish syndicate."

The United Trades and Labor assembly has concluded to be independent and ignore the decision of Samuel Gompers in favor of his rival, the Central Labor Union. The assembly has also decided to make a fight on the Louisville Railway company to force it to employ conductors.

August 25 has been fixed as the date for a conference between representatives of the independent distillers and officers of the whiskey vintners in an effort to limit the whiskey output. The meeting will be held in New York.

**BATTLESHIP.**  
The Kentucky's First Trial Will Be Conducted Soon.

The builders trial trip of the Kentucky will take place between September 20 and October 10, the exact date not yet having been determined upon. This trip will be made to satisfy the big vessel's builders that she is all right in every particular. Later on another trial will be made to test her speed and endurance. Then, still, another or final trial will be made in order to satisfy Uncle Sam's naval experts that she is all and more too, than her designers and builders expected her to be.

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### THE PRINCE SALUTED HIM.

Couldn't Resist the Remark of the Bath Attendant.

The present emperor of Germany made a long stay at the Ilfracombe hotel in North Devon twenty years ago. He was anything but popular, for although he was then quite a youth, he maintained an attitude of extreme hauteur toward every one with whom he came in contact. Only one person ever succeeded in penetrating his rigid reserve, and that was the attendant at the "Tunnel" swimming bath, where the prince went for his morning swim. The famous bath at the Ilfracombe hotel was not built at that time. This attendant was a typical Devonian—cheery, independent, and every day, when the prince came to the bath, he, oblivious of royal etiquette, bade him a hearty "Good mornin'!" receiving nothing but a chilling stare by way of reply. Nothing daunted, on the third morning the man, supplemented his greeting with the remark, "It be the custom in this country for folks to answer when a body says 'Good mornin' to us.' The prince stared for a moment at the audacious native, laughed good-humoredly, and promptly saluted him, and from that time the morning greeting was never passed unacknowledged.—London Sketch.

### The Chinese Drama.

In Lord Leighton's studio, Holland Park Road, Kensington, a lecture, for the benefit of the Leighton House fund, was delivered on Thursday by Archibald Little, of Chung King, China, on "Chinese Drama and Chinese Industries." At the outset Mr. Little explained that, though it might appear to be incompatible to treat of two such subjects as the drama and industries in one discourse, the Chinese actors were in reality the most hard-worked people on the face of the earth. There was scarcely a town or village in China without its theater; neither was there a dinner, private or public, without the accompaniment of theatricals. He gave an account of the drama from the year 1000 B. C. down to modern times. The old drama was distinctly and purely religious, consisting chiefly of dancing and posturing. Confucius had stated that the old dramas represented the occupations of the people. The religious dances constituted the only Chinese drama until 500 B. C., but the plays which were now to be witnessed in every Chinese town were called modern, although we might be inclined to dispute how far that term was applicable, seeing that they nearly all belonged to the eighth and ninth centuries of the Christian era.

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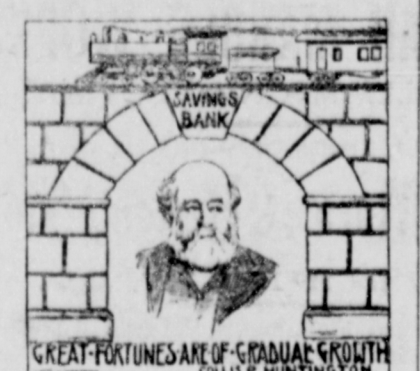
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Mr. Lucy, in the May Strand, says  
that when the late Lord Barrington  
was made a peer of the United King-  
dom people asked why. Members of  
the house of commons, ransacking  
their memories for suggestion of re-  
sponses, recalled how one night, while  
Dizzy was still with us in the commons,  
he, awakening from profound reverie,  
could not find his eyelids. He wanted  
to stick it in his right eye and take his  
accustomed survey of the house. With  
a haste and perturbation foreign to his  
impassive manner, he rooted about in  
his shirt collar, peered on the ground at  
his feet, had given it up for a bad job,  
when Lord Barrington, who was sit-  
ting near him, quietly put his hand be-  
tween the premier's shoulders and  
brought round the errant glass. Dizzy,  
though not demonstrative, adds, Mr.  
Lucy, never forgot a friend or a favor.  
So it came about five years later, when  
the reins of power were slipping out of  
his fingers, he held them for a moment  
longer to give Lord Barrington a seat  
in the house of lords and a place on  
the roll of the English peerage. At  
least that was what was said at the  
time in the private conversation of  
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## Observations ...at Random.

A Paducah gentleman, Mr. F. L.  
Scott, while in New York, recently,  
wrote a friend here the following  
pathetic postal, which contains a  
whole column in a few words:  
"Lost my coat and vest,  
But saved my pants and shoes.  
Country boys when off alone  
Should never stray too far from home."  
Mr. Scott failed to state how far  
from headquarters he was when de-  
prived of his much needed habil-  
iments.

City Attorney Lightfoot was not  
short of his ebullient whiskers for  
the purpose of enhancing his physical  
loveliness. His friends hardly know  
him—but that does not matter. It  
was purely a business move. In fact,  
he did it in order to play detective.  
He had an affair over in St. Louis  
which needed investigating, and as  
he had his whiskers when he made  
his previous visit there, he concluded  
to have them off and appear incognito  
and in disguise, which he did, but  
with what success is not stated by  
the dauntless attorney.

A man with an "inspiration" is  
usually as big a nuisance as a man  
with an ordinary. It's a good rule  
when a man of this class appears at  
the sanctum of a newspaper office and  
wants to get into the railing to "in-  
spire"—to give him a wide berth—  
the shake—anything but what he  
wants. Inspiration is not a good  
thing for a newspaper office, and if  
the attenuated gentleman with the  
long hair and a longer roll of "in-  
spiration" is wise, he will take a hint  
and his inspirations to some out of  
town office, where his safety will  
not be jeopardized by proximity to  
the editor.

People who own property in the  
southwestern part of the city are  
highly elated over the prospects for  
a boom in that portion of town, re-  
sulting from the railroad company's  
enterprise in erecting a depot there.  
The new depot, coupled to the other  
improvements that will naturally  
follow its establishment, will be one  
of the most desirable in the city, and  
property values will be greatly en-  
hanced.

The picturesque little cottage in  
Oak Grove, that has for years stood  
near the entrance in snug security,  
must go. The city council last night  
ordered it moved outside the gates  
of the cemetery, and where it now  
stands perhaps some of the readers of  
this may some day be laid at rest.  
The lots that will be made from the  
change in Oak Grove will number  
nearly three hundred, and the city  
will get for them, at the regular rate,  
\$16,000. It will afford much more  
room at the cemetery, which has  
long been needed, and at the same  
time inconvenience no one. The work  
in Oak Grove will begin at once.

Last night during the council meet-  
ing a report from the cemetery com-  
mittee contained the words "negro  
lots." Councilman Fowler ob-  
jected to the word "negro" and said he  
would not vote for the report unless  
it was changed. The chairman of the  
committee said they "all looked  
alike" and had the words "col-  
ored lots" substituted, which seemed  
to placate the councilman from the  
Third ward, and he voted for the re-  
port.

An improvement that has eagerly  
been sought after for several years  
is the one the council made partial  
provision for last night. This is the  
opening of Nineteenth street to the  
old Clinton road, thence to the May-  
field road, which if carried out will  
afford an egress for people south of  
town in times of high water. The  
city has a very liberal proposition  
from the property owners, which is  
that if the city will open the street  
to Clinton road from Broadway, a  
distance of only a little over a block,  
they will open the road from the  
Clinton road to the Mayfield road, a  
distance of over half a mile. The  
only condition imposed is that they  
will not be asked to grade and gravel  
the road for one year. The improve-  
ment will doubtless be sanctioned  
by most of the citizens of Paducah.

Another improvement that the council  
decided to make last night was the  
purchase of the brick double-  
tenement house adjoining the city  
hall, which has always been occupied  
by the lockup keeper, and which is  
greatly needed and can be bought  
cheap. An option has been taken  
on the property, \$1,000 in cash be-  
ing paid to hold it, the same to be  
charged to the city hall account.

If the city attorney and fire chief  
could succeed in dislodging the  
fifty occupants of some of the old  
dilapidated houses on the South  
Side of lower Broadway, perhaps  
the owners will tear down and put  
up buildings that will be a credit to  
the town. There has long been com-  
plaint of the class of people that  
have been allowed to live in some of  
the houses, and every time the coun-  
cil tries to smooth it over, the dis-  
satisfaction breaks out afresh. Last  
night the city attorney was ordered  
to take the necessary steps to get rid  
of the obnoxious denizens, and with  
the assistance of Fire Chief Woods,  
who says they are fire traps and  
dangerous to the other buildings in  
the locality, may be able to do it.

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Cascarets—beauty for ten cents.

## THE COUNCIL

Last Night's Meeting Not  
so Large as  
Usual.

## THE CITY PRINTING AFFAIR

Only One Ordinance Presented  
for Passage—Attorney Light-  
foot Needed No Help.

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING

The regular meeting of the council  
was held last night, all the members  
present. Dr. Robertson was excused  
early in the session.

The minutes of the last meeting  
read and approved.  
Chairman Fowler, of the finance com-  
mittee, read miscellaneous bills amount-  
ing to \$2,120.81, which were allowed.  
City Tax Collector Kraus reported  
the collection of \$388.25 since  
last report. Received and filed.  
Chairman Ezell, of the ordinance  
committee, read the ordinance making  
a public alley between Madison and  
Monroe streets and Eighth and Ninth,  
which was given final passage.

Chairman Jones, of the relief com-  
mittee, asked further time in the Hog  
wood petition for relief. Granted.

The claim for Mr. Levin, for injury  
to horse, was also deferred.  
A petition for relief from overassess-  
ment on property on South Fifth street  
from Amos Monague was read. The  
committee recommended a reduction to  
\$300, which was concurred in.

Mrs. Margaret Fraley asked relief  
from overassessment on property on  
Trimble between Ninth and Tenth.  
Referred to special board of super-  
visors.

The former report of the relief com-  
mittee relative to the Gould property  
on Clark, used for street purposes was  
adopted.

Clerk Patterson read a communica-  
tion from the mayor, stating that as  
Mr. J. E. Robertson had ceased to be  
eligible to the office of public printer  
he had appointed Mr. J. R. Lemon city  
printer pro tem.

A communication from Mr. J. E. Ro-  
bertson was read, stating that he  
was still manager of the News and that  
the office was not vacated and  
he was still eligible and wanted to  
hold the office.

A motion was made to concur in the  
mayor's report.

Mr. Johnson said if Mr. Robertson  
was manager, there was no vacancy  
and the mayor had no vacancy to fill,  
temporarily when he appointed Mr.  
Lemon.

Mr. Robertson was present and said  
that he was still manager of the News  
and had been ever since the transfer,  
as well as before.

The mayor asked him if he didn't  
tell him he, Mr. Robertson, was assist-  
ant manager and Mr. Gates was man-  
ager.

Mr. Robertson said that he did, but  
that he did not want it known at the  
time, and would not make it known  
now had not this come up. The min-  
utes of the meeting of the directors of  
the News company showed that he was  
elected manager, he said.

Councilman Davis stated that he had  
seen the minutes, and corroborated Mr.  
Robertson.

Mr. Campbell Flournoy was present  
and said he was a resident of Paducah,  
having taken up his home here and  
left Fulton for good.

The mayor submitted a written state-  
ment supporting his action, which was  
based on the assumption that Mr.  
Robertson was no longer manager.  
The mayor said he did not have  
taken the action he did not have  
believed Mr. Robertson was not man-  
ager, but only assistant manager, as  
he himself said.

The motion to concur in the mayor's  
action was by a vote of 7 to 5, and  
Mr. Robertson is still city printer.

A petition from property owners on  
Ohio street between Second and Third  
for water mains to be laid was pre-  
sented by Councilman Clark and con-  
curred in.

Mr. Frank Jenkins demanded im-  
mediate reparation for property on  
Adams street for which the city never  
had any valid title. It was bought  
from a man named English, who had  
no title to it, but which fact the city  
failed to investigate.

Referred to the street committee  
and city attorney with power to settle  
for a sum not exceeding \$200.

G. A. Radford asked that \$15 be  
refunded him for money over-paid on  
license. Referred to the mayor, with  
power to act.

Louis Rapp asked relief from over-  
assessment. Referred to board of  
special supervisors.

Mr. E. C. Terrell asked for an ex-  
tension of time to January 1st on  
Tenth street improvement. Re-  
ferred.

A proposition was made to sell the  
city property on Court street ad-  
joining the city hall for \$3,000. Mayor  
Lang recommended that an option be  
taken on it to July 1900. Recom-  
mendation concurred in.

The city attorney was instructed to  
take immediate steps to abate the  
nuisance in the form of unde-  
sirable tenants in the "hookers"  
on Lower Broadway. They will be  
condemned by the fire chief and de-  
clared a nuisance.

The deed and contract relating to  
property on the city on seventh  
street from Chris Steinhauser and wife  
was accepted and the attorney in-  
structed to take steps to condemn  
the remainder of the right of way.

The electric light report was re-  
ceived and filed.

The monthly report of Chief Hoyer  
was received and filed.

A proposition to grade and gravel  
Nineteenth street from Broadway to  
the old Clinton road, a distance of a  
block and a half, was made to the  
city. The property owners agree-  
ing in return to open a 60-foot street  
from the Clinton road to the old May-  
field gravel road, a distance of nearly  
half a mile. The conditions are  
that the city will not do it.

The ordinance committee was in-  
structed to report an ordinance at  
the next meeting.

The mayor reported the city hall  
and lockup in good condition.

City Engineer Wilcox reported that  
the sewerage work will soon be com-  
pleted and asked for the written  
opinion of the city attorney relative  
to several points involved in the  
payment of costs.

The mayor recommended that two  
attorneys be employed to assist City  
Attorney Lightfoot.

Attorney Lightfoot rather resent-  
ed this, and said he was able to at-  
tend to the matter without any as-  
sistance, although he had no ob-  
jection to the city spending all the  
money it chose for outside opinions.  
Whenever he found himself unable  
to cope with any of the legal ques-  
tions involved in city affairs, he  
declared, he would notify the council.

Councilman Fowler agreed with  
the mayor, but the motion to em-  
ploy additional counsel was not  
seconded.

The council adjourned.

## WEDDED IN HOKINSVILLE.

The Hopkinsville New Era of yes-  
terday says: "Mr. Michael Griffin,  
a leading tobacconist of Paducah, for-  
merly of this city, and Miss Kate  
Breathitt, daughter of Judge John W.  
Breathitt, were joined in the bonds  
of holy wedlock at 2 o'clock this  
afternoon at the home of the bride's  
father on South Main street. The  
ceremony was performed by Rev.  
Father Hill, of the Catholic church. The  
guests were limited to members of  
the immediate family. The happy  
couple left immediately after the  
ceremony on the 10:00 train for Pa-  
ducah, which will be their future  
home. They will be followed by  
the congratulations of a host of friends."

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin came to the  
city last evening and are now at  
their home corner of Court and Sixth  
streets, where Mr. Griffin and his two  
daughters and their aunt have been  
living for several months. Their  
friends—for both are well known to  
many Paducahans—will in proper  
season extend their congratulations.

## DECREASED GOLD OUTPUT.

Rhodesia's Production of the Precious  
Metal Shows a Reduction.  
A great deal of comment has been  
aroused by the fact that the past  
month's gold output of Rhodesia has  
shown a reduction over the previous  
month's. The reduction in the output  
is not in any way to the reefs or  
producing mines becoming poorer, but  
the depreciation is entirely due to the  
lack of native labor, which, under nor-  
mal conditions, is of a plentiful char-  
acter. The real cause of the lower  
output is primarily due to the excep-  
tionally heavy rains which have fallen  
in Rhodesia, which have so swollen  
the rivers that the Shanganas from  
the Gungunghau country have not  
been able to cross into the districts  
where the mines are crushing. The  
Bosman mine has not been fully at  
work for nearly a month, and at this  
moment only thirty stamps are run-  
ning out of fifty. Cablegrams received  
from the various districts state that  
the rains are causing and that sub-  
sequent labor is expected during the  
next fortnight. As the report was in  
circulation that several mines were  
giving out, we take this opportunity  
of stating the actual cause of the setback  
in the production of gold. This month's  
return will also be lower than the  
March output, for until the rainy sea-  
son is over the supply of black labor  
will not be plentiful, but by the end  
of the month the remedy will have  
taken place.—St. James Gazette.

## The Donkey Was the Radical.

A story—unearthed from nobody  
knows where—is being circulated con-  
cerning the last election of Lord  
Charles Beresford to the house of com-  
mons. He was returned from York  
city. While the votes were being  
counted, a costermonger arrived on the  
scene to record his vote. His donkey  
was decked out in sumptuous green  
ribbons, the emblems of Beresford's  
opponent. The voter, on being asked  
the customary question, answered  
shortly, "I go for Lord Charley. Lord  
bless him." Thereupon the members  
of the opposing faction made a dash  
for the good man to convince him that  
according to the "canon" he carried  
the most safe vote for their candi-  
date. Thus challenged, he replied:  
"Oh, it's all right. I'm a Tory; it's my  
donkey that's a radical, but he's an  
ass."

A Fatal Reform.  
"I understand she married him to  
reform him." "That was it. And she  
did do so thoroughly that he carried  
the job like the kind of a woman  
he liked when he married her, and is  
trying to get a separation."

Newly-Coincided Verbs.  
"Yes, the old man caught me Hob-  
sonizing his daughter."  
"And—"  
"And then he Eganzined me."—In-  
dianapolis Journal.

## Dorian Busted At Last

Every trace of high prices on shoes.  
SENSATIONAL figures. Just read:  
Serge slippers 25c a pair; oxford  
ties 35c; oxford ties, black, tan and  
chocolate, 45c, worth 75c, 85c and  
\$1.00; fine oxford ties, vesting tops  
and other styles, black, tan, etc.,  
\$1.15, \$1.25 and \$1.50, worth \$1.50  
to \$2.25. All our high shoes for men,  
women and children we are selling at  
prices equally low.

OUR WASH DRESS GOODS—  
what's left of them—must move in a  
rush. You may price them and take  
them this week AS YOU PLEASE.  
OUR DRESS SKIRTS to order  
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## ASTOR ESTATE.

How It Was Created by the Founder of  
the House.  
At the beginning of this century he  
(John Jacob Astor) commenced buy-  
ing plots of land on New York island,  
having an early prescience of the  
growth of the city by which it is now  
almost covered. These purchases, says  
William Walford Astor in the Pall Mall  
Magazine, were made with such judg-  
ment in the line of approaching ex-  
pansion as frequently to be sold again  
after a few years for double or treble  
what he had paid for them. With en-  
larged means these acquisitions of real  
estate assumed larger proportions, and  
took in whole farms, which gradually  
became covered with houses. To show  
that this species of farming as prac-  
ticed with discrimination was not in  
vain, it may be mentioned that one of  
these farms, purchased in 1811 for  
\$200, is now worth, with its improve-  
ments, \$1,400,000. An amusing notion  
prevailing in America is that by some  
quer rule of his descendants no pur-  
chase has or ever can be parted with  
to the entire system.

As a matter of fact the estate books  
record the sale of hundreds of plots of  
land during the entire century, and it  
should require no extraordinary acumen  
to perceive that so silly and narrow-  
minded a rule could only be  
imagined by very silly and narrow-  
minded people.

## An Old Scotch Custom.

In Scotland old customs die hard,  
especially in the highlands, as was evi-  
denced on the first Sunday in May,  
when the time-honored practice of pay-  
ing a visit to the wells, the waters of  
which are known for their healing vir-  
tues, was observed by many persons.  
Young and old journeyed from Inver-  
ness during the day to St. Mary's well,  
which is situated near to the blasted  
Culloden heath, and after drinking the  
water a coin was dropped into the  
well. This act is supposed to be an  
earnest of good health and success  
during the year. The practice of the  
"wishing well" has descended from  
father to son, and despite the fact that  
many ministers point out that it is  
not conducive to keeping the Sab-  
bath holy, and is only fit for supersti-  
tious barbarians, still the numbers who  
go to the well never diminish. Not only  
was the practice observed in parts of  
Inverness-shire, but in Ross-shire also  
numbers of people visited the famous  
healing well of Craighow, deposited  
their coins and returned, apparently  
satisfied that trouble and sickness had  
effectually been guarded against in the  
coming year.

## Precious Bridges.

The most valuable natural bridge in  
the world is to be found at Arizona,  
lying across a deep canyon, and made  
up of a petrified tree about 4  
feet in diameter, and about 100 feet in  
length. It is pure quartz all through,  
and therefore is much more valuable  
as regards material than any bridge  
of marble or granite would be. But  
the most expensive material of which  
a bridge has ever been built is prob-  
ably telegraph wire. One was built  
over the Jhelum river at Kohala, in the  
Punjab, in the place of a bridge which  
was swept away by the floods in 1892.  
A similar bridge was constructed dur-  
ing the first Sudan campaign over the  
Kokora river for military purposes.

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treme light and heavy strokes, very  
legible and very neat and dainty.  
Cards like this are rather expensive  
when specially engraved, but The  
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to furnish work which cannot be told  
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If your hat needs a little remodeling, a little money will freshen it up wonderfully; so bring it in and give us an opportunity to show what we can do in the way of making an old hat look new.

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### BUSINESS NOTICE.

The city circulation of The Daily Sun having been purchased by Mr. S. A. Hill, all city subscriptions are there- fore payable to him or his collectors and not to The Sun Publishing Com- pany.

## ABOUT PEOPLE.

R. C. Utterback, J. M. Fuller and C. W. Morrison left yesterday afternoon for Louisville to attend the meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Honor.

Mrs. W. J. Hill and children and her sister, Miss Susan Wetherell, re- turned Monday night from a deligh- ful visit to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fulton, near Hardin.

Mr. R. G. Caldwell has gone to Bow- ling Green on business.

Mr. Dick Clements has returned from Dixon.

Mrs. Will C. Gray has gone to Chicago on a brief visit to her sister, Mrs. W. C. Schofield.

Mr. H. E. Craft and family left last night for Nicholasville for a visit.

Mrs. Charles Beeler and children, of Louisville, are visiting Mrs. Beeler's mother, Mrs. McCune.

Rev. W. K. Penrod has returned from his two weeks visit to Arkansas.

Miss Maggie Powers returned to her home in Clarksville today, after a visit to Mrs. John Bonds.

Miss Pauline Davis, of Eastington, is here on a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. S. F. Davis.

Miss Helen Barber, of Clarksville, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Flora Hill, of Smithland, was in the city today en route to Evans- ville on a visit.

Mr. Will Crow arrived today from a trip up the river.

Mr. P. J. Bergdoll went up the I. C. this morning on business.

Hon. W. M. Reed went to Eddyville this morning to attend court.

Mr. Ellis M. Headly was in the city last night en route to Louisville.

Mr. L. E. Vandegrift, of Nashville, selling snuff, is in the city.

Mr. John Shell, of Golconda, Ill., is at the Palmer.

Mr. M. Wofford, of Malden, Mo., is at the Palmer.

Mr. Basil Duke, of Cincinnati, is at the Palmer.

Mr. Walter Funk, of Cairo, is at the Palmer.

Mr. J. C. Wagner, of Mt. Carmel, Ill., is at the Palmer.

Dr. S. B. Caldwell went up to Norton- ville this morning on business.

Mr. John Hagerty, the sewer builder, left with his family for Chicago this morning to be absent several days. He will return in a short time, but his family will remain there on a visit.

Mrs. H. H. Bryant and daughter, Miss Katie, of Clarksville, and Mrs. T. J. Wall, of Christian county, ar- rived yesterday on a brief visit to Mrs. Will Gray, and left at noon for the city.

Mr. J. L. Webb left this morning for Cincinnati to be absent for six weeks waiting on the trade for his house.

Dr. A. S. Dabney, the dentist, leaves at 7:45 o'clock tomorrow morning for Hopkinsville, to attend the marriage of his sister, Miss Annie Dabney, of Hopkinsville, to Mr. G. H. Cook, of Trenton, Ky. The wedding will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Leland hotel, and Dr. Dabney will return tomorrow evening.

Mr. Henry Bailey and wife returned this morning from their visit to Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

The Misses Howard passed through the city today en route to their home in Metropolis, after a visit to Evans- ville.

Mr. James Campbell, Jr., returned this morning from Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Kitty Foss, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. M. W. LaRue at her home, No. 235 North Eighth street, this city. Mrs. Foss is the widow of the late Colonel Rodney Foss, of Columbus, O., and one of the earliest appointees under the regime of lady clerks in the departments at Washington. She is also a sister-in-law of General Corbin, and General Kloppe of the U. S. army. She will be in the city some days.

Mrs. Will Lydon has returned from a visit to Cairo.

Miss Eliza Puryear has gone to Ar-lington on a visit.

Mr. W. W. Winston and daughter have gone to Union City on a visit.

Miss Clara Niehoff, of St. John's, is a guest of Miss Nell Murrin.

Motorman Pearson's family, six in number, are all down suffering from malaria.

Mr. O. L. Gregory left last night for Colorado Springs for a sojourn.

Miss Mamie Brown, of the Fulton Guard, was in the city today a guest of her sister, Mrs. B. Cox.

Mr. J. D. Baldrige and wife, of Martin, Tenn., were at the Palmer today.

Miss Sallie Leonard and Miss Mar- jorie Machen, of Eddyville, will arrive in the city Thursday to visit Mrs. Wheeler Campbell.

## LOCAL LINES.

Work on the new car shed of the Paducah Street Railway company on West Broadway adjoining the old power house is progressing nicely.

Attorney Mike Oliver, according to reports, has gone to St. Louis to purchase a second-hand newspaper outfit with a view of starting a week- ly paper at Benton, to run it in the interest of Marshall county Immigra- tion company.

Architect C. A. Curtin, of Louis- ville, is here looking after the work on the new Catholic church, which is progressing nicely, and begins to show up in a most attractive manner. The first story walls are about up.

The Illinois Central will run an excursion to Louisville Friday even- ing, leaving the Union depot about 6 p. m. and arriving in Louisville early the following morning. It is likely that the crowd that will go will be large, the price being only \$2 for the round trip.

The big camp meeting at Brooklyn did not begin yesterday, as stated but begins Saturday and will last four weeks, and perhaps longer. It will be conducted by Rev. Bales, who will have able assistance, both num- caland otherwise.

Jack Bolin, who is now over in Il- linois, will return to Paducah in a short time and begin making plans for his fall and winter campaign, it is understood. He will probably meet quite a number of good men during the winter, and needless to say, will be as great a favorite as ever.

The street roller is out on Broad- way today trying to wipe out a few of the holes and hollows that about on that thoroughfare. It was torn up several days ago and about that time the gravel stopped, and the street was in an awful mess, afterwards hardening until it became necessary to tear it up again in order to get the gravel well laid.

Mr. Harry Lucas is acting in the capacity of gravel inspector, to which position he was yesterday appointed and the city is receiving gravel down at Second street. Mr. Lucas has been acting overseer of the chain gang.

The elevator in the government building will next week be run for the public. This week it will be ready for a test run.

There was a decided coolness in the atmosphere last night which was highly appreciated by the people.

The Ramsey Society will give a moonlight excursion on the steamer Bettie Owen Friday evening to Mc- retropolis. Price 25 cents. Refresh- ments will be served.

Auditor D. E. Woods is here check- ing in Mr. Will Street as cashier at the freight office.

This morning Mary McReynolds, white, went before Judge Sanders and swore out a warrant against Lou Howard, of 1224 South Eighth street, charging her with using obscene lan- guage.

The Sunday school union will meet at the Broadway Methodist church tonight at 8 o'clock. The roll of the churches will be called and it is hoped each church will have a good representation.

The Woodmen Circle will give a lawn fete at Mrs. Estes, Broadway, Thursday evening.

A stated convocation of Paducah Com- mandery No. 11, Knights Templar, will be held in their asylum tonight at 8 o'clock. Visiting Sir Knights invited.

Noah's Ark sale of the season to- morrow.

The following deeds have been recorded in the county clerk's of- fice.

F. M. Fisher and wife deeds to G. W. Simmons property in county for \$250.

Dr. J. Q. Taylor deeds to Helen M. Holloway lot on Trimble between E'venth and Twelfth for \$800.

J. F. Beckford and wife deed to S. R. Caldwell property on Ninth street for property on Island Creek.

Noah's Ark Wednesday sale.

**TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.**

The McCracken County Colored Teachers' Institute convened in the city yesterday morning at the col- ored high school building, corner of Eighth and Ohio streets. The session yesterday was well attended and much interest is being manifested.

Prof. E. W. Benton, principal of the colored high school, is conducting the institute in a creditable way. The institute adjourns Friday after- noon.

Noah's Ark great sale tomorrow.

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## CHARLES JUDGE DEAD.

Succumbed to Dropsy Last Night After a Long Illness.

Mr. Charles Judge, who had for several weeks past been ill from drop- sy, died last night at 9 o'clock at the home of his mother, Mrs. Laura Judge, on Washington street near Fourth. He had been sick for six weeks.

He was born in Hickman, this state, and lived in Mayfield, previous to coming here with his parents when quite a lad. He was 30 years of age, and unmarried. He leaves a mother and two sisters, Mrs. John Adkins and Miss Mamie Judge, and one broth- er, Frank.

The funeral occurs tomorrow morn- ing at 9 o'clock from the family home. Services will be conducted by Rev. Father Jansen. The burial will be at Mt. Carmel cemetery. Friends are invited without further notice.

The pall bearers will be: Robert Schuster, Jack Hofflich, Andy Kner, Will Hopkins, Eugene Graves, Robt Fairbanks.

**WILL BOYD'S CASE TOMORROW**

He Has Defrauded Others of Mon- ey, It is Learned.

The case against Will Boyd, the colored "hoodoo doctor" and spir- itualist, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses, will come up to- morrow before Judge Sanders in the police court. Since his shady transac- tion Saturday night, a great many colored people have complained of having been fleeced, or that attempts were made by Boyd to fleece them. He seems good for a term at Eddy- ville.

**DECLINES TO RUN.**

Some days since a flattering call appeared in the Sun asking me to become a councilman at the coming November election. I have thought the matter over carefully and while I fully recognize that it is every good citizen's duty to do his part in serving the public when asked to do so I can but conclude that it is not my time to do so just at pres- ent. I must, therefore, decline the call, but in doing so I want to thank those friends who would so com- pliment me.

Yours respectfully,  
LEO. E. GIRARDEY.  
August 21, 1899.

**ADJUDGED INSANE.**

The jury who heard the evidence in the case of John Flowers, of South Fourth street, declared him insane, and he will be taken to Hopkinsville by Deputy Sheriff Gus Rogers.

Mr. Flowers' present state of men- tal collapse as stated yesterday, was produced by the crime of George Flowers, his nephew, in the county. He has been to the asylum about three times in the past twenty years.

Deputy Sheriff Rogers took him to Hopkinsville in the midnight train.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We would return our deepest thanks to all friends who were so devoted to our little daughter in her illness and sympathetic to us in our great affliction through her death. Our hope is that all will long be spared sorrows which would so deeply and leave homes so bereft. Respectfully,  
JOSEPH PETER and WIFE.

**SICK LIST.**

Mr. W. R. Pealls quite ill.

Mr. J. C. St. John has returned from Louisville with his wife, who is not much improved.

Clifford, the son of Mr. Walter Watkins, is quite ill from malaria fever.

Mrs. M. L. Brazelton has been ill for several days.

Conductor Kirkland, after five days' illness, is convalescing.

**A Bargain.**

One new Williams typewriter for sale on reasonable terms at a very low price.

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**BOAT PARTLY BURNED.**

The ferry boat Grace Smith, of Metropolis, was partially destroyed by fire about 1 o'clock this morning. The blaze originated in her cabin, and about the hull was burned. The steamer was owned by George Grace, and was worth about \$4,000, having only recently been repaired here. The damage is estimated at about \$2,000, partially covered by insur- ance. Origin of the fire unknown.

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## THE RIVER NEWS.

Cairo 13.8, fall.  
Chattanooga 1.6, fall.  
Cincinnati 6.5, fall.  
Evansville 5.5, fall.  
Florence 7, fall.  
Johnstown 1.5, fall.  
Louisville 4.3, stand.  
Mt. Carmel 2.5, fall.  
Nashville 2.6, rise.  
Paducah 4.7, fall.  
Pittsburg 5.2, rise.  
St. Louis 10.4, fall.

A big crowd left for Chicago at noon today via rail on special. How- nice it would be if the party could have the benefit of a river trip, with no cinders, no dust.

The H. W. Buttrif arrived at 10:30 this morning from Evansville with fair business and departed at noon on return trip.

The towboat J. Y. Lockwood arrived from Tennessee river this morning with 900,000 feet of lumber for St. Louis. She received 1,000 bushels of coal here from the St. Bernard Coal dock and cleared for St. Louis at noon.

Captain Henry Partee and Eph Hallowe were her pilots. Mr. Bal- lowe got off here and Captain Partee continued the trip to St. Louis.

Captain Louis Pell of the U. S. steam- er Lookout is waiting orders from headquarters to leave with his boat on return to Tennessee river.

The Ohio is getting distressingly less and the many sandbars of this great stream begin to wear a look of ugly defiance to navigation.

The steam ferry Grace Smith of Me- tropolis, Ill., was burned last night at that place. The fire originated at the oil room. The hull was saved without damage, but her upper works were completely destroyed. No in- surance.

A three hundred mile ride on one of the finest steamers of the western waters for 25 cents. The cut rate has struck bottom, and the people are crowding the landing of the rival boats at Cincinnati and Louisville to get the benefit of this wonderful low rate. The City of Cincinnati and New South give the 25 cent rate but the Pittsburgh has not yet met it.

The W. J. Cummins leaves here to- morrow at 5 p. m. for Riverton, Ala., and all Tennessee river way land- ings.

The City of Golconda left for Gol- conda and Elizabethtown at noon to be pretty well fixed.

If the river is not too low the Dick Fowler will give an excursion to Cairo next Sunday.

Captain Henry Partee, pilot of the J. Y. Lockwood, was up in town today, before his boat left, shaking hands with some of his old time friends. Captain Partee lived in this city for several years in his boy- hood days, but left here about 30 years ago and went to St. Louis, which has been his home ever since.

Mendel Wilson, who is one of the clerks at the Fowler Crumshaw boat store, is laid up at home with an at- tack of malaria.

We saw a negro rouser chewing watermelon while having a chili. He shook pretty hard, but he never "shook" his watermelon.

Captain Jas. Koger went up on the Henry Harley yesterday, met the Edgar Cherry, which arrives this evening to go on the ways for re- pairs.

Mr. Pruett repaired the rudders on the Bettie Owen today.

The Lulu Warren departed for Ten- nessee river today for a trip.

The R. A. Speed left for Tenness- see river this morning with barges to be loaded with ties.

The little packet Hustler will soon have things all her own way if the river continues to fall. She brought out a full trip of men and Rivers of produce and a good many orders for merchandise. She left at 1 p. m. with all she could handle.

The Bob Dudley is due tomorrow morning from Cumberland river and leaves at noon for Nashville.

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**SAYS HE'S 113.**

Caldwell County Man in the City Who is a Centenarian.

Henry Morris, an aged darkey o' Fredonia, Caldwell county, was in the city today en route to Illinois on a visit to his people.

He crossed over on the ferry boat and informed Capt. Owen that he is 113 years old, and that he can easily establish the fact.

He does not show his age and seems to be as active as many men in their prime. He left the boat at the upper landing and proceeded to walk through the woods to his destination, where every- one might see him.

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